

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 96-169-C - ORDER NO. 2000-0118
FEBRUARY 2, 2000

IN RE: Application of Innovative Telecom Corporation) ORDER CANCELLING
for a Certificate of Public Convenience and) CERTIFICATE AND
Necessity to Provide Intrastate Interexchange) WITHDRAWING
Resale of Telecommunications Services within) TARIFF
the State of South Carolina.)

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This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("the Commission") by way of the request of Innovative Telecom Corporation ("Innovative") to cancel its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services and to withdraw its tariff.

By letter dated January 12, 2000, Innovative advised the Commission that Innovative wished to cancel its Certificate to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services. A review of the docket file reveals that Innovative's authority was granted by Order No. 96-713, dated October 15, 1996. As reasoning for its request, Innovative stated that it is no longer operating as a public utility reseller of intrastate telecommunications services and does not serve any customers.

As Innovative, by its own acknowledgment, is no longer providing the services for which its Certificate was granted and as Innovative has no customers, the Commission finds and concludes that Innovative's request to cancel its Certificate and to withdraw its tariff should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. The Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services authorized by Order No. 96-713, dated October 15, 1996, issued in the instant Docket is hereby cancelled, and the tariff filed by Innovative is withdrawn.

2. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

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